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BIG DRAINAGE DITCH WILL BE COMPLETED THEN.

HAS TAKEN TWO YEARS

Forty-Eight Miles of Crooks and Turns in the Nodaway River Have Been Shortened to Only Sixteen.

If no accidents occur to delay the work the biggest drainage project ever undertaken in this section of the country will be completed Saturday or Sunday, when the big dredge, employed by Nodaway drainage district No. 2, will reach a point in the river near the old Whitman mill, says this week's Burlington Junction Post.

The machine will have finished its sixteen mile journey and a straight channel thirty-two feet wide and fifteen feet deep will carry the water of the Nodaway from Braddyville, Ia., to Quitman. The old river bed is forty-eight miles between these points and the new channel will carry the water in a third or less time, and has a drop of three feet to the mile.

The land of the Nodaway river bottom is considered the most fertile in the country, but crops have always been uncertain on account of the overflow during the spring and summer rains. When the seasons were favorable enormous crops of corn and small grain were produced, but the frequent flooding of the low lands made conditions so uncertain that a number of the most enterprising farmers and stockmen who owned land on the bottom investigated the results obtained in other sections of the country that had been drained. They found that where the work was properly done the results had proven highly satisfactory.

In this way the Nodaway drainage district No. 2 was formed, the incorporation being perfected in August, 1910. Bonds to the amount of \$75,000 were sold to Compton & Co. of St. Louis and bids were received from a number of dredging firms. The contract was awarded to C. H. Sternberg & Sons of Chicago at 6.45 cents a cubic yard.

The machines were assembled about a half mile south of the bridge east of Braddyville and work was commenced at once straightening the channel.

The dredge was kept at work day and night, and when in good running order could dig about 200 feet a day. Many accidents to the machinery, however, delayed the work, and it has taken a little more than two years to complete the contract.

According to the contract the ditch was to be twenty-six feet wide at the top and eighteen feet at the bottom. The dredge used in the work, however, was thirty feet wide and the ditch at the top averages about thirty-two feet. The depth varies according to the land passed through, and in some places is twenty feet deep, while in others it is not more than twelve, but the average depth is fifteen feet.

The new channel will shorten the course of the river from forty-eight to sixteen miles, and the drop of the current will be three feet to the mile. This will cause the water to flow very swiftly, and with the caving of the banks the channel will cut to four times its present width. In some places near Braddyville, where the channel was first straightened, the ditch is about 100 feet wide. With the swift current a channel of this size will carry away a great amount of water.

As soon as the machine finishes its work the dam across the ditch on the C. E. Walker farm, north of town, will be opened and the current turned into its new course. The two large dams on the old river will not be removed and this will assist in throwing the water into the channel.

7500 acres were included in the project and a tax of \$10 an acre was levied on each acre, which makes the total of \$75,000. The bonds draw 5 per cent interest and the land owner pays on an average of 60 cents a year per acre. It is estimated that this will take care of the interest and pay the bonds off in twenty years. An election of officers and directors is held each year, and this will be done until the end of twenty years. The present officers and directors are: Wm. Blackford, president; G. C. Clary, secretary and treasurer; J. W. Smith, Wm. Carter and Jas. Corkin.

The big dredge has been under the management of Louis Sternberg the past year and the machine has made excellent time on the last lap of its

journey. "Louie" seems to have a knack of inducing it to do its work with as little balking as possible and since crossing the road at the Jas. Corkin farm it has behaved fine. A force of eight men are required to "man" the machine. The Sternbergs have made a bid on a large job in Indiana and if they receive the contract it is probable that Louis will go there to assume charge.

A different plan of taxing the land is used in Indiana to the one employed here. When the land is assessed that nearest the river pays the heaviest tax, as it receives the most benefit from the drainage. The further the land is away from the ditch the less tax it pays and some of the farms that are never affected by the over-flow are taxed a small amount on account of the advantage in drainage. This method is regarded as best for all concerned.

PIRATES AND NORMALS WIN.

High School and Business College Fives Defeated in City Basket Ball Tournament.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won	Lost	Prct.
Normal	8	0	1,000
Pirates	4	4	.500
High school	4	4	.500
Business college	0	8	.000

Both games in the city basket ball tournament played Thursday afternoon at the Normal gym were won by overwhelming scores. In the first game the Pirates smothered the Business college team by a score of 59 to 8, and in the final battle between the high school and the Normal the teachers had little trouble in winning by a 34 to 6 count. The collegians could put up but little opposition to the buccaneers, and Hoffman, Eek and Wray scored baskets almost at will. Wray headed the list with ten field goals.

In the first half of the Normal-high school game the highs were held scoreless, while the teachers counted thirteen points. In the final period the high school five managed to count six points on two field goals and a couple of free throws, and the Normals got 21. Vern Seymour, the Normal's twinkler at guard demonstrated his ability to perform at forward by caging six field goals.

Next Thursday will mark the close of the tournament with the leaders playing the cellar champs and the Pirates and highs fighting it our for second place. There is no doubt as to the outcome of the first game, but the Pirate-high school scrap promises to be a "hummer." Each team has won a game, and naturally both teams predict a victory. The writer predicts a victory for the Pirates, due to the fact that the Pirates have improved wonderfully since the last meeting, while the highs seem to have "gone back."

GAME TONIGHT AT NORMAL.

Team Will Play Wesleyan College of Cameron and Promises to Be a Good One.

"A Normal victory by a close score" is the general prediction as to the outcome of the basket ball game tonight at the Normal gym between the green and white quintet and the Missouri Wesleyan five from Cameron. The Methodists played Tarkio college at Tarkio last night, and a report reached here that they defeated Tarkio, but at press time the Wesleyan boys hadn't arrived in the city to verify or deny the report. However, the locals have reason to know that if Wesleyan is putting up the article of ball that will win from Tarkio on their home floor, Normal stands a slim chance of getting away with a win. Coach Moore announced the following line-up for tonight's game, which starts at 8 o'clock: Vanderoost (captain), and Daise, forwards; Perrin, center; McClinton and Seymour, guards; Quinn, Lamar, Woodward and Strader, substitutes.

Returned to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Boyer of Artesia, N. M., who have been visiting in and near Maryville with Mr. Boyer's father, John Boyer, and family, for two months, left Thursday evening for their home.

Is Charter Member.

Charles E. Kane, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kane of this city, who is attending the state university at Columbia, is a charter member of a social fraternity, the Delta Omicron, which has been installed at that place.

Two New Deputies.

Sheriff Ed Wallace has appointed Bert Mack of Maryville and George Yates of Lincoln township as deputy sheriffs.

RIDE TO SCHOOL A NEWSY LETTER

CHAMPION HILL DISTRICT HAULS BILLY JOB RINGS THE CHANGES CHILDREN TO PARNELL.

HAVEN'T MISSED A DAY THERE'S TOO MANY JOBS

District Finds It Cheaper to Pay Tuition and Drayage and More Satisfactory Than Maintain School.

Sinecures With Big Pay That Should Be Abolished—Talk on Fortune Teller Bill Creates Merriment.

The only district rural school in the county, and probably in Northwest Missouri that is transporting pupils from that school district to another is the Champion Hill school district near Parnell. The Champion Hill district is abandoned for this year and the district is sending eight pupils in that district to the Parnell school, and three pupils to the Pleasant View school.

The Champion Hill district pays the expenses of the transportation and the tuition for the Parnell school. A three-seated hack is used and it is all enclosed. The cost to the district is much less by sending them to Parnell than to run a school in that district, and the people are better pleased with the plan, as greater interest is taken in the school work by the pupils than heretofore, and that there is more rivalry and inspiration among them.

The transportation plan has worked to good advantage this winter, and the eight pupils have attended school every day, with the exception of days of sickness. The weather has been very good and not a single day has been missed on this account. One of the Parnell teachers lives in that school district and she goes every morning with the pupils in the hack to Parnell. She is Miss Angie Wadler.

The plan of transportation is still an experiment in this part of the country, but it is working to great success and probably other schools will take the plan up next year.

PRATHER HOUSE BADLY BURNED.

Fire Which Started in Attic Destroyed the Attic and the Second Story of Residence.

The old Prather home, on West Second street, which is owned by Miss Bettie Prather, who now lives in Brookline, Mass., was badly damaged by fire this Friday morning. The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Mason and family.

The cause of the fire is not known, but it started in the attic, and the entire roof was ablaze at once. Neighbors first discovered the blaze and notified the Mason family, and also the fire department. It took the fire department about two hours or so before the fire could be put out, owing to the hard time the firemen had in fighting the fire, and owing to the wind and cold weather. During this time coffee was served to the firemen by F. P. Reuillard, Mrs. G. A. Nash, Garten & Trusty, Charles C. Hellmers and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders.

It is not known what the damages will be, but they are estimated at \$1,500 to \$2,000. The house was fully insured. A few household goods of Mr. Mason were also damaged.

The Prather house is an old landmark of Maryville, the house being built about fifty years ago. The Prather family has made their home there for many years, until a few years ago, and the residence has been remodeled a number of times.

MANY WENT FROM HERE.

Mothers' Circle Guests of Sister Club at Pickering Short Course.

Quite a large company went to Pickering Friday to attend the short course institute being held by the state board of agriculture. The afternoon program is intended to be of especial interest to the women, because the Women's club of that place asked for speakers that would give them special instructions for home work.

The Mothers' Circle of Maryville accepted an invitation from the Pickering club to be its guest today, but owing to the severe change in the weather all the members could not go. Those who attended were Mrs. W. C. VanCleve and her guest, Mrs. J. S. VanCleve of Moberly, Mo.; Mrs. Leslie Dean, Mrs. Omar Catterson, Mrs. D. W. Snodderly, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. S. E. Farmer, Mrs. William Everhart, Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. W. A. Townsend, Mrs. E. T. Godsey, Mrs. J. W. Ray, Mrs. D. E. McDonald.

Miss Jessie Mutz, who has charge in domestic science at Pickering, accompanied the club to Pickering, also County Superintendent Oakerson.

changed that the county will be liable for damages to anyone through the neglect of bridges and roads.

Senators Stone and Reed are in the city now.

George Walker, the Maryville contractor, was here figuring with a Jefferson City architect.

The primary bill was up for engrossment in the house today. An amendment was offered giving the state committee the right to name the place of meeting. There was but one vote against the amendment and engrossment. The object of the amendment was to steer clear of being robbed by the Madison hotel. Col. Bill Phelps made the statement on the floor that they had charged him \$25 for a cot, supper and breakfast. Representative Boyd made the same statement. Representative Hays stated they charged him \$20. Representative Moore made the statement that the manner Jesse James used to secure money was more honorable.

The fortune teller bill was up for engrossment today. Representative Orr was telling how a fortune teller secured \$1,000 from an ignorant old lady down in his county to tell her where her husband went after death. Representative Dumm asked to interrogate Mr. Orr, who consented. He asked him if he didn't think his wife would give a like amount to know where he went, which brought the house down. Mr. Orr answered by saying his wife knew very well where he would go.

I suppose people are the same the world over. On my way from breakfast the other morning I got into a jam in front of a department store that had a fall out over proposed laws and came to very little understanding. Congressman Shackelford came from Washington to attend this meeting, and delivered an address before the highway association explaining the good features of the bill he has now pending in congress. One of the features is that the postal department pay an annual rental of \$25 per mile for rock roads, \$20 for gravel roads and \$15 for dirt roads. These roads are to be rural mail routes, and the above amounts are to be applied on the roads and they are to be kept in proper condition by the county for the mail services. The committee on roads are flooded with bills and all kinds of information that is both practical and radical on the subject. Different conditions in different parts of the state may be partly the cause of it. The roads leading out of Jefferson City are few and far between, on account of the roughness of the county, but all the main roads are good crushed rock roads. Our roads run on lines. Roads here run any old way you can find a place for them, and very seldom more than a few rods in the same direction. When you think you can drive out in the country on one road and back on another you are fooling yourself. You have got to come back to the city and start over again. I read somewhere—I believe it was in the Bible, but I am not sure of that, however—that in olden times all roads led to Rome. I never could understand how that was until I came here. All roads here lead to Jefferson City—that is, wagon roads—and I am of the opinion the same conditions existed in the time of Rome.

There was quite a delegation of county clerks here yesterday working for an increase in pay for deputy hire. I am of the opinion in counties like Nodaway there should be an increase of a few hundred dollars.

Representative Claiborn of St. Joseph has introduced a bill to continue the present contract system of the employment of convict labor at the prison, but increasing it from 70 cents per day to \$1 per day, 30 cents of which must go to the families of the convict or held in trust for him until his time expires. I think it's a good bill and ought to pass, but believe the state should receive \$1.50 per day.

The automobile law has passed and is ready for the governor's signature.

The suffragettes have begun to get busy and we can expect some legislation along that line.

It seems that Governor Major's utility bill is going to meet with opposition all along the line, and if it passes may carry a number of amendments.

It seems that some of the legislative body think of nothing else but to prepare bills to create more offices and increase salaries. There are quite a number of posts now that cost the taxpayers a good sum that could be done away with very easily. State game warden, hotel inspector, etc., are nothing but a joke.

There are numerous petitions read every day from every part of the state, both in the senate and house, asking for the passage of the county unit bill.

I think several petitions have been received asking that the law be so

A HOUSE VICTORY

DRIES PUT EXIT BILL ON CALENDAR IN SPITE OF REPORT.

WILL PASS THE HOUSE

Big Majority on Test Vote Indicates Easy Stepping in Lower Branch Would Drive Out Saloons.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Jan. 31.—The "wets" and "drys" went to the mat tonight on the county unit local option bill before the house committee on criminal jurisprudence, and the committee reported the bill to the house adversely by a vote of 6 to 5.

On motion of Representative C. M. Hay of Calloway the bill was placed on the calendar of the house, notwithstanding the adverse report, and was carried by an overwhelming majority.

The indication, according to reports is favorable to the bill passing the house.

If the bill should pass it would close the saloons in Maryville and other towns in Missouri. Frank Farris, a former state senator, represented the liquor men, and C. M. Hay the "drys." A large delegation of W. C. T. U. women asked the committee to report the bill favorably.

FUNERAL SERVICES AT HOME.

Rev. Claude J. Miller Conducted the Services of the Late W. H. Hawkins—Burial in Oak Hill.

The funeral services for the late W. H. Hawkins, whose death occurred in Oklahoma City, Okla., Wednesday morning, were held at the home of his daughters, Misses Laura and Ada Hawkins, at Seventh and Mulberry streets, at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, the body having arrived on the noon Burlington train.

The services were conducted by Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian church. Burial took place in Oak Hill cemetery. The pallbearers were Mr. J. R. Brink, Judge J. H. Sayler, S. G. Gillam, W. W. Glass, Ed F. Hamlin, J. W. Ray.

LEFT FOR JEFFERSON CITY.

W. A. Blagg and President Taylor to Capitol City to Work for Normal Appropriations.

W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents, and Dr. H. K. Taylor, president of the Normal, left Thursday evening for Jefferson City, where they are to work in the interest of the Normal appropriations. The appropriation committee was in session at that place and Mr. Blagg and Dr. Taylor appeared before the committee and urged that the Normal here be given \$123,000, the amount they are wanting.

Guests From Coin.

Dr. and Mrs. A. H. King of Coin, Ia., spent the day Thursday in Maryville, visiting Mrs. King's brother, Harry Whitney, and family. Dr. King brought a patient, Mrs. Goodwin of Coin, to St. Francis hospital for treatment.

Father Anselm's Guest.

The Rt. Rev. Abbott Frown of Conception was the guest of Rev. Fr. Anselm of St. Mary's Catholic church Wednesday and Thursday.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and tomorrow. Colder Saturday.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce F. S. GRUNDY as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

Death at Burlington.
Miss Jane Waggoner, aged 59 years, died Friday morning about 9:30 o'clock at the home of her brother, W. H. Waggoner, living about two miles south of Burlington Junction. Miss Waggoner was a native of Beardstown, Ill., and had made her home with her brother for fifteen years. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

On Trip to Mexico.
Mrs. Eugene Ogden of this city and her brother, W. L. Belden of Shield, N. D., who has been her guest for several days, left Thursday evening for Raton, N. M., to visit their sister, Mrs. J. F. DeLong. They will also make visits at Kinsley, Kan., and Arkansas City, and will be gone two weeks.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to \$1.00 per day.

Mrs. J. F. Roelofson went to St. Joseph Thursday evening to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Sawyers.

Notice.
To the members of the People's Telephone Union: Unless notice to the contrary is given local transfers between the Peoples and the Bell telephones will be discontinued February 1st. Long distance connections will still be made, however.

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Switchboard Manager.

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SATURDAY**

Enamelware Sale

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25c each.

Men's Shirt Sale

2 p. m.

Regular \$1.00 values, good assortment of sizes,

25c each.

**Dr. D. J. Thomas
Has Moved
His
DENTAL OFFICE
to the
Front Rooms over
Maryville National Bank**

**News of Society
and Womens' Clubs**

P. E. O. Meeting Saturday.

The P. E. O. chapter will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Miller.

Class Dinner This Evening.

Miss Mildred Robinson will be the hostess of a 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening, her guests to be the members of the midwinter class of the high school, just graduated.

Social Was a Success.

The social given by the ladies of St. Patrick's Catholic church Thursday afternoon and evening in the church hall was well patronized and was a social success. The ladies cleared over \$50 from the affair.

Surprised by School Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird Thompson of Bedison entertained the entire school of that place at their home Wednesday evening as a surprise to their son and daughter, Tuba and Farol Thompson. The evening was spent playing games and peaches and cake were served for lunch.

With Mrs. U. I. Willson.

The Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. U. I. Willson Saturday, February 1, at 2:30, instead of with Miss Edna Moore, as announced in the church bulletin. Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox will assist the hostess during the social hour.

Birthday Party.

Miss Margaret Bolin of Barnard entertained a few of her friends Wednesday evening with music and games, in observance of her birthday anniversary. Her guests were Miss Ida Shinabarger, Miss Golda Auten, Miss Edna Gray, Messrs. Sherman Montgomery, Chester Espy and Frank Auten.

M. M. M. Club Meeting.

The M. M. M. Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. P. Frazee. The discussion for the afternoon was from a paper read by Mrs. W. T. Ramsey on the subject "Is There a Limit to a Child's Reading?" During the business session it was decided to hold a social and open session of the club two weeks from Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett. Mrs. A. W. Frazee was the guest of the club. The members present were Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. M. D. Kemp, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. L. H. Frazee, Mrs. George Stafford, Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. Edward Egley.

Wedding Near Barnard.

A quiet wedding took place Thursday at noon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William King of near Barnard, when their daughter, Miss Allie, was united in marriage to Mr. E. P. Henderson of St. Joseph. The Rev. W. A. Chapman of Rosedale officiated. The bride was prettily attired in cream silk. After the ceremony a course wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother, to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stotts and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Kling and family, Miss Hazel Curnutt, Miss Li Rhoads, Misses Sarah and Nannie Kling, Messrs. Fred and Chalmers Kling.

Social Neighbors' Club Met.

The Social Neighbors' club was very pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ringgold at their home Wednesday evening. The early part of the evening was spent in social chat, after which an oyster supper was served by the hostess, who was assisted in serving by Mrs. Lester Ringgold. After supper the business session was held, and the remainder of the evening was spent in music, both vocal and instrumental. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ulmer and son and daughter were guests of the club. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. James Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Newton LeGrand and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellet Trueblood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ringgold and son, Miss Clara Neff and the host and hostess and family. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Newton LeGrand, in February.

Miscellaneous Shower for Bride.

Mrs. Antoinette Craig-Matthews, a December bride, was given a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lee Harrel by the Amoma class of the First Baptist church Sunday school, of which she is a member. Mrs. Matthews received a large and varied assortment of beautiful presents, and with the usual instructions for their use. She will leave the middle of February for her new home at Liberty, Mo. Her husband, Rev. O. G. Matthews, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church of this city, Sunday morning and evening. The evening was spent in playing games. The members of the class present were Mrs. Stella Epperson, Mrs. M. H. Borrusch, Mrs. John

Borrusch, and Mabel Grace Borrusch, the Amoma class baby; Mrs. D. E. McDonald, Miss Laurinda Craig of Bolekow, Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson, Miss Bess Graves, Miss Amelia Butcher, Miss Laura White, Miss Mabel Hunt, Miss Marcia Messenger, Misses Orrell and Katherine Helwig, Miss Eva Davis, Miss Hettie Roots, Miss Golda Adcock.

Miss Helen Ford Married.

Mrs. J. A. Ford of 128 South Main street received a letter Friday morning from her daughter, Miss Helen Ford, which stated that by the time she received her letter she would be the wife of Mr. Gladie Bradley, who has been in the real estate business in Maryville several months with his brother-in-law, Byron Rhodes. Miss Ford left Maryville Thursday forenoon on the Wabash train, telling the newspaper reporters there that she was going to Grand Island, Neb., for a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Force. Mr. Bradley accompanied her to the train, and it was noticed that he got on the train as it was leaving the station. Nothing was thought of this, however, as it was supposed he would accompany her as far as Conception. The young people have been keeping company for several months, but their attachment was not looked upon as anything serious by friends or relatives, and the news in Miss Ford's letter to her mother is a surprise to everyone. The letter did not state when or where they were to be married. Mr. Bradley wrote a letter to his brother-in-law, Mr. Rhodes, which was received Friday morning, telling him he would be married by the time he received the letter, and that they would make their home in Grand Island, Neb., where he has a position.

Schwebach—Kern.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred Tuesday morning, January 28, at Conception abbey, when Miss Rose Schwebach and Mr. Frown Kern were united in marriage, Rev. Fr. Placid officiating. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Elizabeth Schwebach and Mr. Andrew Kern, sister and brother of the bride and groom. The bride was dressed in

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One man Saws, and Cross Cut Saws, Axes, Wedges and Wood Choppe's Splitting Mauls.

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We have these tools in warranted grades, at prices which will convince you are right. If they are not satisfactory return them. Call and let us supply your wants in the hardware line.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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SURPLUS	· · ·	\$22,000.00

Mrs. Emma Fitz and daughters of Clearmont arrived in Maryville Friday on a visit with her sister, Mrs. Fitz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Maier.

Miss Ross Brady of Conception returned home Friday from a several days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Mary Keeler, and family.

EMPIRE THEATRE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1913

"Flower of Mexico"

A MUSICAL COMEDY BY ALMA M. NASH

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BEAUTIFUL CHORUS, NEW SONGS, NEW DANCES

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All women get bilious, headache and constipated—simply because they don't exercise enough. They don't eat coarse food, or enough fruit and green vegetables. Those are nature's ways of keeping the liver and thirty feet of bowel active; but very few women employ them. The next best way is delightful, fruity Syrup of Figs.

Nearly all ills of women can be overcome with Syrup of Figs alone. There is no need to have sick headache, backache, dizziness, stomach soar and full of gases, bilious spells, sallowness, coated tongue, bad breath, bad complexion, nervousness and depression. The surest and safest remedy is one or two teaspoonsfuls of delicious Syrup of Figs. Try this tonight—you'll feel splendid in the morning when the sour bile, clogged up waste and poisonous matter have been gently but thoroughly moved on and out of your system, without nausea, griping or weakness. Your head will be clear, complexion rosy, breath sweet, stomach regular; no more constipation, gases, pains and aches.

It is simply a matter of keeping your stomach, liver and bowels clean and regular. Then you will always be well—always look and feel your best. But get the genuine—the old reliable. Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna." Refuse with contempt, the so-called Fig Syrups sometimes substituted to fool you. The true, genuine, bears the name California Fig Syrup Company; look for this on the label.—Advertisement.

Mrs. W. T. Gray returned Friday from a visit in Burlington Junction with her daughter.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

WILLIAMS' INDIAN PILE OINTMENT

Will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. For sale by all druggists, mail \$1.00.

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Prop., Cleveland, Ohio
For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Guests From Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Littler and daughter of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Littler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burnham, who are moving into their handsome little bungalow on East Third street.

Miss Mae Hotchkiss is spending the week end of school in St. Joseph with her sister, Miss Alma Hotchkiss, a teacher in the Benton high school.

FERN THEATRE

Four Reel Special

The Carl Hagenbeck and great Wallace Shows

700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSES 200 WILD BEASTS; 50 CLOWNS; 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PERFORMERS. A GENUINE TREAT. A WHOLE CIRCUS FROM THE TIME THE TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN TILL THE LOADING BEGINS. DON'T MISS IT. THERE WILL BE FIVE SHOWS, 3 'CLOCK, 4:30, 6, 7:30 AND 9 P. M., FEBRUARY THE 17TH AND 18TH. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE FROM 3:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL 10:30 P. M.

ADMISSION 15 CENTS.
CHILDREN 10 CENTS.

FEB. 17TH AND 18TH.
FERN THEATRE.

Men's \$1.00 Shirts Reduced to 50c

When we advertise a reduction we can back it up with the correct values. Therefore, when we say Men's \$1.00 Shirts reduced to 50c—we mean they were worth the price.

Every Overcoat and Suit in our store has been reduced to make way for spring goods. These Overcoats and Suits are of the best materials and styles.

Our store is overflowing with good bargains—to fully realize the opportunities to save money on clothing necessitates a visit to our store.

NUSBAUM'S

Outfitters for Men and Young Men.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at the Baker farm, 2½ miles east of town, on

Wednesday February, 5

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property:

1 coming 5 year old mare, bred to Jack; 1 gray gelding, weight 1250 pounds; 2 mules, coming yearlings.

5 Jersey cows, extra good ones. 9 Shorthorn cows. 1 Shorthorn bull. 2 geldings, coming 3 years old; 1 mare and 1 gelding coming 2 years old; 2 mares, coming 3 years old; 1 mule, coming 2 years old; 1 mule, coming 3 years old; 3 teams of work mules. 8 brood sows.

1,000 bushels of corn in crib, 20 tons of baled hay.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months time with a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on grounds.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

E. F. Wolfert, Clerk.

Geo. B. Baker & Co.

PRESIDENTIAL RECALL BEATEN

Senator Bristow Seeks to Amend
Proposed Six-Year Term Act.

OTHER PROPOSALS PENDING,

LORDS REJECT HOME RULE

Peers Go Through Formality of
Voting Against Measure.

WILL BECOME LAW, ANYWAY.

Wide Variety of Conditions and Ex-
emptions Before Senate—Dixon
Questions Motives of Those Who
Want Change.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Presidential terms ranging all the way from two to six years, prohibitions against second terms and third terms, exemptions that would affect Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson, and proposals for the recall and the direct popular election of presidents, were thrust into the senate in rapid succession in the first day's consideration of the constitutional amendment limiting a president to a single term of six years.

In a session filled with lively debate, Senator Bristow's proposal that a president could be recalled at any regular election was voted down, 58 to 10, and Senator Hoke Smith's amendment to make the single term four years, instead of six, was defeated, 42 to 23.

Over a dozen amendments were pending when the senate recessed. Senators Dixon and Poindexter (Prog.-Rep.) and Lodge (Rep.) led the fight against a restriction of the presidential term.

Senator Williams (Dem.) proposed a four-year term with the privilege of re-election, but his amendment was so drawn as to prevent Colonel Roosevelt from seeking another election. Ten for Presidential Recall.

The defeat of the Bristow amendment for recall of the president followed a short debate, in which Senator Bristow urged that to make the federal administration properly responsive to public demand the people should have the right to change the president when they change congress. The vote on the recall amendment mustered ten votes only in its favor, the following senators voting for it:

Ashurst, Bristow, Clapp, Dixon, Gronna and Poindexter (Prog.-Rep.); Martine, Owen, Perky and Thomas (Dem.).

The candidates of Roosevelt, Wilson, Bryan and Taft figured in the fight throughout the day. Senator Borah said President Taft had not used the power of his office for his own re-election in 1912 to any greater extent than President Roosevelt had used it in 1908 for the election of Mr. Taft.

"President Roosevelt wanted Mr. Taft nominated because he believed Taft would carry out the principles to which the Roosevelt administration was devoted," said Senator Borah. "A president who would not use every effort to perpetuate his policies would not be worth his salt."

Answers Senator Hitchcock.

Senator Hitchcock asked if it was not generally believed Roosevelt favored Taft's nomination in 1908 so he himself could be a candidate in 1912.

"I know the senator himself does not entertain such a thought," retorted Senator Borah, "so I feel free to say that such an idea is the product of a diseased mind."

Senator Dixon's charge that a single six-year term was desired chiefly by ambitious aspirants for the presidency and the declaration of Senators Bristow and Poindexter that this proposed limitation would be destructive of American principles of government made up the burden of the Progressive fight against the resolution.

Senator Bristow declared the people should be free to choose their own president and to re-elect a president when they believed it was wise. He declared the constitution should include a recall provision, so that when congress is overthrown because an administration is not satisfactory the people could also recall the president and establish a new administration throughout.

Fortifications Bill Passed by House.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The fortifications appropriation bill, carrying \$5,218,240, an increase of \$1,182,015 over the appropriation last year, was passed by the house. The bill contains a proviso which restricts the secretary of war to purchase nothing but material of American manufacture, except in cases where it is for the interest of the United States to purchase material abroad in limited quantities.

Massacre Prevented by Tin Cans.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The tin cans which had been hung or strung to barbed wire entanglements around the night camp of a detachment of regular troops in the Philippines recently prevented a massacre of the Americans by the fierce Moros tribesmen and resulted in the complete rout of the natives, according to war department reports.

Stock Exchange Sends Committee.

New York, Jan. 31.—The New York Stock Exchange appointed a committee to visit Albany and confer with Governor Sulzer regarding proposed legislation affecting the exchange. The committee included J. H. McMahon, president of the exchange; three ex-presidents, F. K. Sturgis, Rudolph Kepler and H. R. Tomroy, and six other prominent brokers and bankers

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Wallace farm, 3 miles east and 1 mile south of Maryville, and 1 mile west of Mt. Ayr church, on

Thursday, February 6

The following described property.

7 HEAD HORSES, consisting of 1 bay mare coming 5 years old, weight 1,500 pounds, in foal by draft horse; 1 span 3-year-old fillies, weight about 1,350 pounds each, in foal by Jack. These are extra good fillies and broke. 1 bay horse, 4 years old, weight about 1,250 lbs.; 1 sorrel mare, 5 years old, weight about 1,150 lbs.; 1 weanling colt, extra good; 1 smooth mouth mare. These horses are all good ones.

6 HEAD CATTLE—4 milch cows. These are all choice milch cows and will be fresh early. 1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 1 yearling heifer.

28 HEAD HOGS—9 brood sows, 4 to farrow in February and March and rest in April and May. 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar, 18 head fall shoots. These hogs are all healthy and in good condition.

FEED—About 500 bu. corn, 5 or 6 tons hay in barn, about 3 tons oats in stack.

IMPLEMENT—2 wagons, 1 hay rack, 1 hay rake, 1 John Deere cultivator, 1 John Deere stirring plow, 1 lister and drill combined, 1 wood rack, 1 top buggy, 2 sets work harness, 1 set double buggy harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle, about 100 posts, some stove wood, and also a few loads of pole wood. Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time with bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Lunch on ground by ladies of Mt. Ayr church.

V. M. Watt, Auctioneer.

Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Fred Wallace

PUBLIC SALE

In order to dissolve partnership we will sell at the C. C. Carr farm, two and one-half miles northwest of Arkoe and five and one-half miles south-east of Maryville, on

Friday, February 7th, 1913

the following property:

9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 1,400 lbs., bred to jack, the other to draft horse; 2 pair of mules, 3 years old, well matched and broke, weight 1,100 lbs. each; 2 yearling mules, good ones; an extra fine weanling draft colt.

15 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 good milch cows, one to be fresh by sale day, the others fresh soon; 7 head of steer and bull calves; 4 head of 2 year old heifers, good ones, to be fresh soon.

33 HEAD OF HOGS—12 head of gilts, to farrow in spring; 24 fat hogs, weight around 300 lbs.; 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar.

3 DOZEN R. I. RED HENS—Also a few cockerels.

IMPLEMENT, ETC.—1 riding cultivator; 1 walking cultivator; 2 bushels timothy seed and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by ladies of Arkoe Christian church.

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6, or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Clements, Carr & Wyatt

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at the Mitchell Ray farm, one mile south of Maryville, on

Saturday, Feb. 8

Commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., the following property: 1 bay mare, smooth mouth; 1 gray 4-year-old horse, 1 sorrel horse 7 years old, weight about 1,400 pounds; 2 coming 3-year-old fillies, 2 milch cows, 1 Jersey heifer giving milk, 1 will be fresh in March and 1 in May; 9 brood sows, will pig in spring; 30 head of shoats, 1 wagon, 2 breaking plows, 2 cultivators, 1 Deering mower, 1 disc harrow, 1 two-section harrow, 1 lister, 2 sets work harness, 1 set carriage harness, 1 set single harness, 1 two-seated carriage.

TERMS OF SALE—\$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of nine months will be given on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until settled for.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

J. F. Roelofson, Clerk.

A. W. Bagby

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at the Jerry Vaughn farm, 10 miles northeast of Maryville and 4 miles southwest of Orrsburg, on

Thursday, February 6th

Commencing at 10 a. m., the following property, towit:

HORSES, CATTLE AND HOGS—1 good coming 3-year-old horse, extra good weight, 1,500 pounds; 1 filly coming 2 years old, 1 horse colt coming 2 years old, 6 head of extra good cows, 2 good steer calves, 3 good coming 2-year-old steers, 1 good well-bred bull coming 3 years old; 25 head of shoats, weight 125 pounds; 7 head of sows, some with pigs at side.

HAY, STRAW AND IMPLEMENTS—12 tons of timothy hay, baled; 12 tons of straw, baled; 1 hog house, fixed to move; 1 riding cultivator, lister combined, mowing machine, set of harness, 14-inch walking plow, John Deere lister, 16-inch walking plow, 1 new riding cultivator, 1 harrow, 1 wagon, 1 Sattley cultivator.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 and 9 months time will be given on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until settled for.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

J. C. McMahon

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having rented my farm I will sell at my residence 6 miles northwest of Maryville and 2 miles east of Wilcox,

Monday, February 3, 1913

4 HEAD OF HORSES—Consisting of 1 team of mares, coming 4 years old, will weigh about 1,400 lbs. each. These mares are well broke and perfectly gentle. 1 coming 6-year-old family mare, with foal. This mare is absolutely safe for anyone to drive. 1 coming 2-year-old trotting brood colt.

9 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 milch cows, 1 fresh cow with calf by side, 1 to be fresh February 15, and 2 to be fresh soon. 2 coming 2-year-old heifers, will be fresh May 1st. 2 yearling steers, and 1 yearling heifer.

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STOMACH SOUR! GOT INDIGESTION ALSO!
Pape's Diapepsin® Makes Upset Stomachs Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach, headache—this is indigestion.

A full case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only fifty cents and will thoroughly cure your out-of-order stomach and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from stomach trouble or indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases, then you will understand why dyspeptic trouble of all kinds must go, and why they usually relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. Diapepsin is harmless and tastes like candy, though each dose contains power sufficient to digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranky about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever try a little for indigestion or gastritis or any other stomach misery.

Get some now this minute, and forever rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion.—Advertisement.

John Spurlock of this city was taken to St. Francis hospital Thursday for treatment.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

"RINGLETT" BARRED ROCK
Cockerels for sale. These cockerels hatched from eggs direct from E. B. Thompson. Limited number, only. **WILES BROS.**

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL
White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, \$2 and \$3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys.
MRS. C. H. RICE.
Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

R. C. R. I. REDS at \$1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna. Pickering, Mo.

Clarinda Poultry House

Anyone having thoroughbred breeding cockerels of any varieties, please bring them to J. A. Speirs at the office of the Clarinda Poultry house in this city, and we will help you sell them.

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JAMES CONKLIN
THE PLUMBER AND STEAM FITTER.
Satisfaction guaranteed. Shop under Knox's restaurant. Phone Hanamo No. 33; shop; 47, residence.

Standard Plumbing Co.
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PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
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W. F. BOLIN
Architect and General Contractor.
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,600. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—\$5,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.75. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—7,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.52.

Sheep—3,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—800. Market strong.

Hogs—6,100. Market weak; top, \$7.56.

Sheep—1,000. Market 10c higher.

MANY SIGNED TELEGRAM.

Three Hundred Attended the Various Prayer Meetings Held in Maryville Wednesday Evening.

There was a good attendance at the prayer meetings of the various churches of the city Wednesday evening, and 300 protested against the saloon and sent a telegram to Jefferson City, asking the members of the Missouri legislature to vote for the county local option bill. The telegram sent follows:

"To the members of the Missouri state legislature now in session in Jefferson City:

"Dear Sirs—We, as pastors of our churches, beg leave to inform you that at our prayer meetings this evening 300 persons, mostly heads of families, express their earnest wish for the relief from the saloon promised in the county unit local option bill now before your body. Vote for our homes."

The telegram was signed by the pastors of the churches here.

FINEST HAIR DRESSING FOR WOMEN.

Perfectly Delightful—Full of Refreshing and Invigorating Qualities That Put Life, Lustre and Beauty Into Hair.

Use PARISIAN Sage and your hair won't turn gray; won't look faded or grow thin and scraggly.

Dandruff will disappear, hair stop falling; the scalp will become immaculately white, and all germ life will be promptly destroyed.

At dealers everywhere, 50 cents. Sold by the Kach Pharmacy, who will refund your money if you are not satisfied. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package of PARISIAN Sage.—Advertisement.

Meeting at Guilford.
The patrons and teachers meeting of Grant and Washington township will be held at Guilford on Saturday in the M. E. church, South, of that town. Addresses are to be given by County Superintendent Oakerson and Dr. H. K. Taylor, president of the Normal.

Was Five Above.
Quite a change was experienced in the weather Thursday night and Friday. For the past several days it has been almost like spring. The mercury stood at 5 above zero Friday morning. Colder weather is promised for Saturday.

Simpson Property Sold.
Superintendent W. B. Christy of the Maryville district of the M. E. conference has purchased the residence of S. M. Simpson on North Mulberry. The Simpsons have gone to California to locate.

Has a New Fire Bell.
Guilford has installed a new fire bell on a pole north of the Bank of Guilford. The bell is about twelve inches in diameter and can easily be detected from any place in town.

Moving to Conway, Mo.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hockett of Quitman, were in Maryville Thursday on their way to Conway, Mo., to make their home.

Mrs. Ray Lincoln of Burlington Junction went to Pickering Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. L. E. Watson.

CHURCH LAW INTRODUCED
Methodist Bishops Have Right to Criticize Members.

Kansas City, Jan. 31.—Church law was introduced by the defense in the trial of the suit in which Mrs. Carrie Cope of Topeka is seeking to recover \$5,000 from each of two defendants, Methodist Bishop Davis E. Moore of Cincinnati and Mrs. George O. Robin son of Detroit, for alleged libel.

The law was outlined by Bishop Charles W. Smith of St. Louis, who while testifying said that Methodist bishops have power over all matters pertaining to the church, both "temporal and spiritual," and that they have a right to criticize any member or official body of the church.

NY BROOKLYN TABERNACLE

BIBLE STUDY-ON

THE DELUGE EFFECT.

Genesis 6:9-22; 7:11-24—Feb. 2.

"For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord."—Romans 6:23.

SCIENTIFIC Bible students find the Bible story of the Deluge corroborated by Geology, Astronomy and History. The oldest records of Babylonia tell of the Deluge. But no record compares with the Genesis account or gives a connected history of 1656 years from Adam to the Flood.

Geology demonstrates that there have been several great deluges. When we ask whence such floods could come, the Geography points us to Saturn and Jupiter with their "rings," composed of minerals thrown off as gas when the planets were at white heat. These gases cooled and formed various rings. The rotation of the planets on their axes causes these rings to spread out as great envelopes, and gradually to thin at the equator and thicken at the poles, until they collapse, causing deluges.

The earth once had similar "rings," precipitated one after another, at long intervals during the Six Great Creative Days. God so timed His Plan that the last of earth's rings was still unbroken when man was created. But it had spread into a great canopy or veil. There could be neither rain nor storm under such conditions. (Genesis 8:6.) The temperature of the whole earth was equable, the sun's rays acting upon the canopy as upon the white glass of a hot-house.

Why the Polar Ice?

Geology testifies to a Glacial Period, when great icebergs, carried by floods of water, rushed from the poles toward the equator. Scientists have traced great valleys cut by these icebergs during this period.

The collapse of the canopy caused a deluge at both poles, a flow of great tidal waves toward the equator and sudden, intense cold at the poles. The water froze so rapidly that in recent years animals with grass between their teeth have been dug out of solid polar ice.

The vertical rays of the sun kept the equatorial atmosphere very hot until the trade winds sprang up, distributing the heat over the earth. The equatorial waters were also very hot, until the ocean currents set in. These, like the Gulf Stream, carry the warm equatorial waters toward the poles. These processes, going on for 4,000 years, are gradually thawing out the polar regions, and causing large numbers of icebergs to break loose from the polar glaciers, and distress mariners.

Professor George Frederick Wright has dropped a suggestion which fits well with the Bible narrative that Noah's ark apparently remained near the place where it was built. As we understand the professor, the geological evidences are that swift currents laden with icebergs and rocks visited parts of America, Europe and Asia, but seemingly avoided Mt. Ararat, where evidently an eddy formed, for alluvial deposits there are extraordinarily thick.

The Cause of the Deluge.

Let us inquire. Why did not Divine providence precipitate the last ring before man was created? The answer is that God foreknew the rebellion of Satan and permitted the temptation and fall of man solely because He foreknew how ultimate good could be accomplished and valuable lessons be given both men and angels. All of His dealings are along lines of Justice, and causing large numbers of icebergs to break loose from the polar glaciers, and distress mariners.

Before the Flood wickedness had greatly increased, but not merely from human depravity. Some of the angels became disobedient to God, and by their greater intelligence led mankind into depths of iniquity.—Genesis 6:5.

The Bible cites many instances where angels have materialized as human beings. This power appears to have been possessed by angels before the Flood. Some of them married daughters of men and lived as human beings. The children of these angels were human beings—different from Adam's family.

We read that they were giants, "men of renown," who filled the earth with violence. Finally God's displeasure blotted them out of existence in the Deluge. God thus manifested His determination to destroy sin.

Antediluvian sinners of Adam's race belong to the mass of mankind, with whom Messiah will deal during His Millennial Reign of righteousness. After chastisement for wilful disobedience, they may be, if willing, recovered from sin and death, and attain human perfection—at Jesus' cost.

For the sons of angels by human mothers there is no hope. Their existence was not authorized by God. They were not redeemed. They will have no awakening. As for the fallen angels, the Bible tells us that for 4,000 years they have been restrained "in chains of darkness," until "the Judgment of the Great Day."—Jude 6.

This subject is too large for satisfactory treatment here. We will supply free a treatise, on receipt of a postcard request, addressed to Brooklyn Tabernacle, P. O. Box 1000.

Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Shipp of Arkansas.

WHY WOMEN SUFFER.

Many Maryville Women Are Learning the Cause.

Women often suffer, not knowing the cause.

Backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness,

Irregular urinary passages, weakness, languor—

Each a torture of itself.

Together hint at weakened kidneys.

Strike at the root—get to the cause.

No other remedy more highly endorsed than Doan's Kidneys Pills.

Recommended by thousands—

Endorsed at home.

Here's convincing testimony from a Maryville citizen:

Mrs. Mary Larabee, 1203 East Tiffed street, Maryville, Mo., says: "I had pains through my hips and back and was often dizzy and tired. After I used a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I found relief and my health improved. This remedy has my highest endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Advertisement.

To Locate in Guilford.

Dr. D. A. Pollard, who has been a member of the Campbell-Pollard hardware firm of Barnard, will locate in Guilford, and intends practicing medicine in that community.

How to Treat Ailing Children.

Growing children play hard and work hard at school, which with rapid growth uses up an enormous amount of energy and vitality that must be replaced.

When a child is tired all the time, no appetite, weak, delicate and sickly we guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, will build them up, create a hearty appetite, sound flesh and muscle tissue, pure healthy blood, and make them strong.

Mary Lang of Altoona, Pa., writes: "Every since childhood I have been weak and delicate and my blood had been thin and poor. Many different forms of treatment did me no good, but last spring I took Vinol and now I am so much stronger and better that I want you to know it. I don't know when I have felt so well and vigorous as I have since taking Vinol."

If Vinol fails to do just what we say, we will give back your money. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.

—Advertisement.

Sold Out Interest.

Jerd Pearce sold his interest in the Strong & Pearce barber shop on North Main to his partner, Richard Strong, who is now sole owner.

USE ZEMO—ITCHING VANISHES!

Use ZEMO, the New Wonder.

At last a remedy for skin tortures that makes everybody smile and say, "Hoo-ray, I've found it at last!" ZEMO is really extraordinary, as any man or woman can prove immediately at a cost of only a few cents. If you have that terrible itching, prickly heat, eczema, irritated or inflamed skin, blisters, pimples or blackheads, you will marvel at the result of ZEMO.

ZEMO is absolutely guaranteed to stop itching; it gives instant relief, pain disappears, sores, rashes and dandruff leave you.

ZEMO is sold in 25-cent and \$1 bottles, or sent direct, on receipt of price, by E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo. Try a 25-cent bottle and when convinced, get a \$1 bottle which contains six times as much as the 25-cent bottle.

Sold and guaranteed in Maryville by the Love & Gaugh drug store.—Advertisement.

Returned to Kansas City.

Mrs. F. F. McClure of Kansas City, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Jr., the past ten days, returned home Friday morning.

Wanted, a Good Stomach.

MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets are guaranteed by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. to end indigestion and give you a good vigorous stomach, or money back. They relieve after dinner distress in five minutes. 50 cents.

MI-O-NA for belching of gas.

MI-O-NA for distress after eating.

MI-O-NA for foul breath.

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FINISH SATURDAY

BIG DRAINAGE DITCH WILL BE COMPLETED THEN.

HAS TAKEN TWO YEARS

Forty-Eight Miles of Crooks and Turns in the Nodaway River Have Been Shortened to Only Sixteen.

If no accidents occur to delay the work the biggest drainage project ever undertaken in this section of the country will be completed Saturday or Sunday, when the big dredge, employed by Nodaway drainage district No. 2, will reach a point in the river near the old Whitman mill, says this week's Burlington Junction Post.

The machine will have finished its sixteen mile journey and a straight channel thirty-two feet wide and fifteen feet deep will carry the water of the Nodaway from Braddyville, Ia., to Quitman. The old river bed is forty-eight miles between these points and the new channel will carry the water in a third or less time, and has a drop of three feet to the mile.

The land of the Nodaway river bottom is considered the most fertile in the country, but crops have always been uncertain on account of the overflow during the spring and summer rains. When the seasons were favorable enormous crops of corn and small grain were produced, but the frequent flooding of the low lands make conditions so uncertain that a number of the most enterprising farmers and stockmen who owned land on the bottom investigated the results obtained in other sections of the country that had been drained. They found that where the work was properly done the results had proven highly satisfactory.

In this way the Nodaway drainage district No. 2 was formed, the incorporation being perfected in August, 1910. Bonds to the amount of \$75,000 were sold to Compton & Co. of St. Louis and bids were received from a number of dredging firms. The contract was awarded to C. H. Sternberg & Sons of Chicago at 6.45 cents a cubic yard.

The machines were assembled about a half mile south of the bridge east of Braddyville and work was commenced at once straightening the channel.

The dredge was kept at work day and night, and when in good running order could dig about 200 feet a day. Many accidents to the machinery, however, delayed the work, and it has taken a little more than two years to complete the contract.

According to the contract the ditch was to be twenty-six feet wide at the top and eighteen feet at the bottom. The dredge used in the work, however, was thirty feet wide and the ditch at the top averages about thirty-two feet. The depth varies according to the land passed through, and in some places is twenty feet deep, while in others it is not more than twelve, but the average depth is fifteen feet.

The new channel will shorten the course of the river from forty-eight to sixteen miles, and the drop of the current will be three feet to the mile. This will cause the water to flow very swiftly, and with the caving of the banks the channel will cut to four times its present width. In some places near Braddyville, where the channel was first straightened, the ditch is about 100 feet wide. With the swift current a channel of this size will carry away a great amount of water.

As soon as the machine finishes its work the dam across the ditch on the C. E. Walker farm, north of town, will be opened and the current turned into its new course. The two large dams on the old river will not be removed and this will assist in throwing the water into the channel.

7500 acres were included in the project and a tax of \$10 an acre was levied on each acre, which makes the total of \$75,000. The bonds draw 5 per cent interest and the land owner pays on an average of 60 cents a year per acre. It is estimated that this will take care of the interest and pay the bonds off in twenty years. An election of officers and directors is held each year, and this will be done until the end of twenty years. The present officers and directors are: Wm. Blackford, president; G. C. Clary, secretary and treasurer; J. W. Smith, Wm. Carter and Jas. Corkin.

The big dredge has been under the management of Louis Sternberg the past year and the machine has made excellent time on the last lap of its

journey. "Louie" seems to have a knack of inducing it to do its work with as little balking as possible and since crossing the road at the Jas. Corkin farm it has behaved fine. A force of eight men are required to "man" the machine. The Sternbergs have made a bid on a large job in Indiana and if they receive the contract it is probable that Louis will go there to assume charge.

A different plan of taxing the land is used in Indiana to the one employed here. When the land is assessed that nearest the river pays the heaviest tax, as it receives the most benefit from the drainage. The further the land is away from the ditch the less tax it pays and some of the farms that are never affected by the over-flow are taxed a small amount on account of the advantage in drainage. This method is regarded as best for all concerned.

PIRATES AND NORMALS WIN.

High School and Business College Fives Defeated in City Basket Ball Tournament.

Standing of the Teams.

	Won	Lost	Prct.
Normal	8	0	1.000
Pirates	4	4	.500
High school	4	4	.500
Business college	0	8	.000

Both games in the city basket ball tournament played Thursday afternoon at the Normal gym were won by overwhelming scores. In the first game the Pirates smothered the Business college team by a score of 59 to 8, and in the final battle between the high school and the Normal the teachers had little trouble in winning by a 34 to 6 count. The collegians could put up but little opposition to the buccaneers, and Hoffman, Eek and Wray scored baskets almost at will. Wray headed the list with ten field goals.

In the first half of the Normal-high school game the highs were held scoreless, while the teachers counted thirteen points. In the final period the high school five managed to count six points on two field goals and a couple of free throws, and the Normals got 21. Vern Seymour, the Normal's twinkler at guard demonstrated his ability to perform at forward by caging six field goals.

Next Thursday will mark the close of the tournament with the leaders playing the cellar champs and the Pirates and highs fighting it out for second place. There is no doubt as to the outcome of the first game, but the Pirate-high school scrap promises to be a "hummer." Each team has won a game, and naturally both teams predict a victory. The writer predicts a victory for the Pirates, due to the fact that the Pirates have improved wonderfully since the last meeting, while the highs seem to have "gone back."

GAME TONIGHT AT NORMAL.

Team Will Play Wesleyan College of Cameron and Promises to Be a Good One.

"A Normal victory by a close score" is the general prediction as to the outcome of the basket ball game tonight at the Normal gym between the green and white quintet and the Missouri Wesleyan five from Cameron. The Methodists played Tarkio college at Tarkio last night, and a report reached here that they defeated Tarkio, but at press time the Wesleyan boys hadn't arrived in the city to verify or deny the report. However, the locals have reason to know that if Wesleyan is putting up the article of ball that will win from Tarkio on their home floor, Normal stands a slim chance of getting away with a win.

Coach Moore announced the following line-up for tonight's game, which starts at 8 o'clock: Vandersloot (captain), and Daise, forwards; Perrin, center; McClintoch and Seymour, guards; Quinn, Lamar, Woodward and Strader, substitutes.

Returned to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Boyer of Artesia, N. M., who have been visiting in and near Maryville with Mr. Boyer's father, John Boyer, and family, for two months, left Thursday evening for their home.

Is Charter Member.

Charles E. Kane, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kane of this city, who is attending the state university at Columbia, is a charter member of a new social fraternity, the Delta Omicron, which has been installed at that place.

Two New Deputies.

Sheriff Ed Wallace has appointed Bert Mack of Maryville and George Yates of Lincoln township as deputy sheriffs.

RIDE TO SCHOOL A NEWSY LETTER

CHAMPION HILL DISTRICT HAULS CHILDREN TO PARRELL.

BILLY JOB RINGS THE CHANGES FROM GRAVE TO GAY.

HAVEN'T MISSED A DAY THERE'S TOO MANY JOBS

District Finds It Cheaper to Pay Tuition and Drayage and More Satisfactory Than Maintain School.

Simecures With Big Pay That Should Be Abolished—Talk on Fortune Teller Bill Creates Merriment.

(By William Job.)

The only district rural school in the county, and probably in Northwest Missouri that is transporting pupils from that school district to another is the Champion Hill school district, near Parnell. The Champion Hill district is abandoned for this year and the district is sending eight pupils in that district to the Parnell school, and three pupils to the Pleasant View school.

The Champion Hill district pays the expenses of the transportation and the tuition for the Parnell school. A three-seated hack is used and it is all enclosed. The cost to the district is much less by sending them to Parnell than to run a school in that district, and the people are better pleased with the plan, as greater interest is taken in the school work by the pupils than heretofore, and that there is more rivalry and inspiration among them.

The transportation plan has worked to good advantage this winter, and the eight pupils have attended school every day, with the exception of days of sickness. The weather has been very good and not a single day has been missed on this account. One of the Parnell teachers lives in that school district and she goes every morning with the pupils in the hack to Parnell. She is Miss Angie Wadler.

The plan of transportation is still an experiment in this part of the country, but it is working to great success and probably other schools will take the plan up next year.

PRATHER HOUSE BADLY BURNED.

Fire Which Started in Attic Destroyed the Attic and the Second Story of Residence.

The old Prather home, on West Second street, which is owned by Miss Bettie Prather, who now lives in Brookline, Mass., was badly damaged by fire this Friday morning. The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Mason and family.

The cause of the fire is not known, but it started in the attic, and the entire roof was ablaze at once. Neighbors first discovered the blaze and notified the Mason family, and also the fire department. It took the fire department about two hours or so before the fire could be put out, owing to the hard time the firemen had in fighting the fire, and owing to the wind and cold weather.

During this time coffee was served to the firemen by F. P. Reuillard, Mrs. G. A. Nash, Garten & Trusty, Charles C. Hellmers and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders.

It is not known what the damages will be, but they are estimated at \$1,500 to \$2,000. The house was fully insured. A few household goods of Mr. Mason were also damaged.

The Prather house is an old landmark of Maryville, the house being built about fifty years ago. The Prather family has made their home there for many years, until a few years ago, and the residence has been remodeled a number of times.

MANY WENT FROM HERE.

Mothers' Circle Guests of Sister Club at Plecking Short Course.

Quite a large company went to Pickering Friday to attend the short course institute being held by the state board of agriculture. The afternoon program is intended to be of especial interest to the women, because the Women's club of that place asked for speakers that would give them special instructions for home work.

The Mothers' Circle of Maryville accepted an invitation from the Pickering club to be its guest today, but owing to the severe change in the weather all the members could not go. Those who attended were Mrs. W. C. VanCleve and her guest, Mrs. J. S. VanCleve of Moberly, Mo.; Mrs. Leslie Dean, Mrs. Omar Catterson, Mrs. D. W. Snoderly, Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. S. E. Farmer, Mrs. William Everhart, Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. W. A. Townsend, Mrs. E. T. Godsey, Mrs. J. W. Ray, Mrs. D. E. McDonald.

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changed that the county will be liable for damages to anyone through the neglect of bridges and roads.

Senators Stone and Reed are in the city now.

George Walker, the Maryville contractor, was here figuring with a Jefferson City architect.

The primary bill was up for engrossment in the house today. An amendment was offered giving the state committee the right to name the place of meeting. There was but one vote against the amendment and engrossment. The object of the amendment was to steer clear of being robbed by the Madison hotel. Col. Bill Phelps made the statement on the floor that they had charged him \$25 for a cot, supper and breakfast. Representative Boyd made the same statement. Representative Hays stated they charged him \$20. Representative Moore made the statement that the manner Jesse James used to secure money was more honorable.

The fortune tellers bill was up for engrossment today. Representative Orr was telling how a fortune teller secured \$1,000 from an ignorant old lady down in his county to tell her where her husband went after death. Representative Dunn asked to interrogate Mr. Orr, who consented. He asked him if he didn't think his wife would give a like amount to know where he went, which brought the house down. Mr. Orr answered by saying his wife knew very well where he would go.

I suppose people are the same the world over. On my way from breakfast this morning I got into a jam in front of a department store that in some respects was like the governor's reception. On inquiring the cause, I learned there was a lace sale on for the morning and ladies of all age, size and color were tramping each other's corns while they waited for the doors to open.

SUIT ON NOTE DISMISSED.

The Case of Karl Schmitt vs. Joseph Wolfer of Clyde Was Settled Out of Court.

The case of Karl Schmitt of Idaho against Joseph Wolfer of Clyde was dismissed Friday as the suit has been settled out of court.

In August, 1910, Mr. Wolfer went to Idaho and purchased 160 acres of land for \$100 an acre, and gave his note for \$14,000 for the balance to Karl Schmitt. Mr. Wolfer soon learned of facts which made him think he had been cheated and so he refused to pay a \$4,000 note which was due, and also payment on three other notes which were not due. Schmitt brought suit in Maryville for the \$4,000 note, and the case was settled out of court by George Robb Ellison, of Shinabar, Blagg & Ellison, who recently returned from Idaho, where he was in conference with Mr. Schmitt. By the settlement all of the notes were returned to Wolfer.

RETURNED FROM NEW MEXICO.

Editor Fred Hull Back From the Sunny South and the Full Possession of His Health.

Editor and Mrs. J. F. Hull and little daughter, Elizabeth, returned Thursday night from a several weeks' visit in Artesia, New Mexico, where Mr. Hull has been for the benefit of his health.

He was much weakened from a sick spell when he went there, but the change and rest has worked a miracle and he is now in full possession of his usual good health and fine spirits. He will be back at the Tribune office on Saturday.

His many friends are glad to have him back and to know that he has regained his health.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

Met Friday Afternoon and Authorized B. of P. W. to Get Remainder of Money.

A special session of the city council was held Friday afternoon and permission was granted to the board of public works to get the remaining \$20,000 out of the \$100,000 water works bond issue. Only \$80,000 was taken out of the \$100,000 issue. When the bond issue was sold the entire issue was to be taken by the Commerce Trust company, but only \$80,000 was received for eighty bonds. The money for the remaining bonds will be received soon.

It seems that some of the legislative body think of nothing else but to prepare bills to create more offices and increase salaries. There are quite a number of posts now that cost the taxpayers a good sum that could be done away with very easily. State game warden, hotel inspector, etc., are nothing but a joke.

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A HOUSE VICTORY

DRIES PUT UNIT BILL ON CALENDAR IN SPITE OF REPORT.

WILL PASS THE HOUSE

Big Majority on Test Vote Indicates Easy Sledding in Lower Branch Would Drive Out Saloons.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Jan. 31.—The "wets" and "drys" went to the mat tonight on the county unit local option bill before the house committee on criminal jurisprudence, and the committee reported the bill to the house adversely by a vote of 6 to 5.

On motion of Representative C. M. Hay of Calloway the bill was placed on the calendar of the house, notwithstanding the adverse report, and was carried by an overwhelming majority.

The indication, according to reports is favorable to the bill passing the house.

If the bill should pass it would close the saloons in Maryville and other towns in Missouri. Frank Farris, a former state senator, represented the liquor men, and C. M. Hay the "drys." A large delegation of W. C. T. U. women asked the committee to report the bill favorably.

FUNERAL SERVICES AT HOME.

Rev. Claude J. Miller Conducted the Services of the Late W. H. Hawkins—Burial in Oak Hill.

The funeral services for the late W. H. Hawkins, whose death occurred in Oklahoma City, Okla., Wednesday morning, were held at the home of his daughters, Misses Laura and Ada Hawkins, at Seventh and Mulberry streets, at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, the body having arrived on the noon Burlington train.

The services were conducted by Rev. Claude J. Miller of the First Christian Church. Burial took place in Oak Hill cemetery. The pallbearers were Mr. J. R. Brink, Judge J. H. Saylor, S. G. Gillam, W. W. Glass, Ed F. Hamlin, J. W. Ray.

LEFT FOR JEFFERSON CITY.

W. A. Blagg and President Taylor to Capitol City to Work for Normal Appropriations.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce F. S. GRUNDY
as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN
as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

Death at Burlington.
Miss Jane Waggoner, aged 59 years, died Friday morning about 9:30 o'clock at the home of her brother, W. H. Waggoner, living about two miles south of Burlington Junction. Miss Waggoner was a native of Beardstown, Ill., and had made her home with her brother for fifteen years. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

On Trip to Mexico.
Mrs. Eugene Ogden of this city and her brother, W. L. Belden of Shield, N. D., who has been her guest for several days, left Thursday evening for Raton, N. M., to visit their sister, Mrs. J. F. DeLong. They will also make visits at Kinsley, Kan., and Arkansas City, and will be gone two weeks.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to \$1.00 per day.

Mrs. J. F. Roelofson went to St. Joseph Thursday evening to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Sawyers.

Notice.
To the members of the People's Telephone Union: Unless notice to the contrary is given local transfers between the Peoples and the Bell telephones will be discontinued February 1st. Long distance connections will still be made, however.

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**News of Society
and Women's Clubs**

P. E. O. Meeting Saturday.

The P. E. O. chapter will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Miller.

Class Dinner This Evening.

Miss Mildred Robinson will be the hostess of a 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening, her guests to be the members of the midwinter class of the high school just graduated.

Social Was a Success.

The social given by the ladies of St. Patrick's Catholic church Thursday afternoon and evening in the church hall was well patronized and was a social success. The ladies cleared over \$50 from the affair.

Surprised by School Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird Thompson of Bedison entertained the entire school of that place at their home Wednesday evening as a surprise to their son and daughter, Tuba and Farol Thompson. The evening was spent playing games and peaches and cake were served for lunch.

With Mrs. U. L. Willson.

The Young Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. U. L. Willson Saturday, February 1, at 2:30, instead of with Miss Edna Moore, as announced in the church bulletin. Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox will assist the hostess during the social hour.

Birthday Party.

Miss Margaret Bolin of Barnard entertained a few of her friends Wednesday evening with music and games, in observance of her birthday anniversary. Her guests were Miss Ida Shinabarger, Miss Golda Auten, Miss Edna Gray, Messrs. Sherman Montgomery, Chester Espy and Frank Auten.

M. M. M. Club Meeting.

The M. M. M. Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. P. Frazee. The discussion for the afternoon was from a paper read by Mrs. W. T. Ramsey on the subject "Is There a Limit to a Child's Reading?" During the business session it was decided to hold a social and open session of the club two weeks from Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett. Mrs. A. W. Frazee was the guest of the club. The members present were Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. M. D. Kemp, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. L. H. Frazee, Mrs. George Stafford, Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. Edward Egley.

Wedding Near Barnard.

A quiet wedding took place Thursday at noon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William King of near Barnard, when their daughter, Miss Allie, was united in marriage to Mr. E. P. Herndon of St. Joseph. The Rev. W. A. Chapman of Rosedale officiated. The bride was prettily attired in cream silk. After the ceremony a course wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother, to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Byron Stotts and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Kling and family, Miss Hazel Curnutt, Miss Li Rhoads, Misses Sarah and Nannie Kling, Messrs. Fred and Chalmers Kling.

Social Neighbors' Club Met.

The Social Neighbors' club was very pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ringgold at their home Wednesday evening. The early part of the evening was spent in social chat, after which an oyster supper was served by the hostess, who was assisted in serving by Mrs. Lester Ringgold. After supper the business session was held, and the remainder of the evening was spent in music, both vocal and instrumental. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ulmer and son and daughter were guests of the club. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. James Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Newton LeGrand and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellet Trueblood and family. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ringgold and son, Miss Clara Neff and the host and hostess and family. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Newton LeGrand, in February.

Miscellaneous Shower for Bride.

Mrs. Antoinette Craig-Matthews, a December bride, was given a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Lee Harrel by the Anoma class of the First Baptist church Sunday school, of which she is a member. Mrs. Matthews received a large and varied assortment of beautiful presents, and with the usual instructions for their use. She will leave the middle of February for her new home at Liberty, Mo. Her husband, Rev. O. G. Matthews, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church of this city, Sunday morning and evening. The evening was spent in playing games. The members of the class present were Mrs. Stella Epperson, Mrs. M. H. Borrusch, Mrs. John

Borrusch, and Mabel Grace Borrusch, white satin trimmed with pearls and the Anoma class baby; Mrs. D. E. McDonald, Miss Laurinda Craig of Bolckow, Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson, Miss Bess Graves, Miss Amelia Butcher, Miss Laura White, Miss Mabel Hunt, Miss Marcia Messenger, bride's father, Mr. John Schwabach to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Giggar and family, Mr. John Schwabach, Mr. and Mrs. John Schieber, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kern and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Eickhoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eickhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Voelker, Miss Mary Schwabach, Miss Elizabeth Probst, Mrs. A. J. Bluel of Maryville, Mrs. Albert Hengler, Mrs. James Dougan, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan, Misses Elizabeth and Anna Schwabach, Mary Dankoff of Hamburg, Ia.; Marie Hengler, Barbara and Hilda Kern, Elizabeth Miller, Catherine and Magdalene Sullivan, Clara Dougan, Mamie and Hattie Sullivan, Messrs. Mat Schwabach, Nick Helm of Hamburg, Ia.; Joseph Kern of Maryville, Carl Kern, Andrew Kern, Frank Miller, Joseph Schwabach, Joseph Probst, Albert and Alois Hengler. The afternoon was spent in general merrymaking, after which supper was served. The rooms were then made ready for a social dance, in which a large number of friends of the bride and groom engaged until midnight, when a luncheon was served. The guests took their departure, wishing the happy couple a long life of health, happiness and prosperity together. Mr. Kern and his bride will be at home to their friends on his farm, near Clyde, after February 2.

Helen Ford Married.

Mrs. J. A. Ford of 128 South Main street received a letter Friday morning from her daughter, Miss Helen Ford, which stated that by the time she received her letter she would be the wife of Mr. Gladie Bradley, who has been in the real estate business in Maryville several months with his brother-in-law, Byron Rhodes. Miss Ford left Maryville Thursday noon on the Wabash train, telling the newspaper reporters there that she was going to Grand Island, Neb., for a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Force. Mr. Bradley accompanied her to the train, and it was noticed that he got on the train as it was leaving the station. Nothing was thought of this, however, as it was supposed he would accompany her as far as Conception. The young people have been keeping company for several months, but their attachment was not looked upon as anything serious by friends or relatives, and the news in Miss Ford's letter to her mother is a surprise to everyone. The letter did not state where or where they were to be married. Mr. Bradley wrote a letter to his brother-in-law, Mr. Rhodes, which was received Friday morning, telling him he would be married by the time he received the letter, and that they would make their home in Grand Island, Neb., where he has a position.

Schwabach-Kern.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred Tuesday morning, January 28, at Conception abbey, when Miss Rose Schwabach and Mr. Frown Kern were united in marriage, Rev. Fr. Placid officiating. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Elizabeth Schwabach and Mr. Andrew Kern, sister and brother of the bride and groom. The bride was dressed in

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Mrs. Clara Roelofson went to Savannah Thursday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. R. S. Roelofson, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. May, and is ill.	Miss Emma Fitz and daughters of Clearmont arrived in Maryville Friday on a visit to Mrs. Fitz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Maier.	Miss Rose Brady of Conception returned home Friday from a several days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Mary Keeler, and family.
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Nearly all ills of women can be overcome with Syrup of Figs alone. There is no need to have sick headache, backache, dizziness, stomach sour and full of gases, bilious spells, sallowness, coated tongue, bad breath, bad complexion, nervousness and depression. The surest and safest remedy is one or two teaspoonsfuls of delicious Syrup of Figs. Try this tonight—you'll feel splendid in the morning when the sour bile, clogged up waste and poisonous matter have been gently but thoroughly moved on and out of your system, without nausea, griping or weakness. Your head will be clear, complexion rosy, breath sweet, stomach regular; no more constipation, gases, pains and aches.

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Mrs. W. T. Gray returned Fr'day from a visit in Burlington Junction with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Littler and daughter of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Littler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burnham, who are moving into their handsome little bungalow on East Third street.

Miss Mae Hotchkiss is spending the week out of school in St. Joseph with her sister, Miss Alma Hotchkiss, a teacher in the Benton high school.

FERN THEATRE

Four Reel Special

The Carl Hagenbeck and great Wallace Shows

700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSES 200 WILD BEASTS; 50 CLOWNS; 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PERFORMERS. A GENUINE TREAT. A WHOLE CIRCUS FROM THE TIME THE TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN TILL THE LOADING BEGINS. DON'T MISS IT. THERE WILL BE FIVE SHOWS, 3 O'CLOCK, 4:30, 6, 7:30 AND 9 P. M., FEBRUARY THE 17TH AND 18TH. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE FROM 3:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL 10:30 P. M.

ADMISSION 15 CENTS.

CHILDREN 10 CENTS.

FEB. 17TH AND 18TH,
FERN THEATRE.

Men's \$1.00 Shirts Reduced to 50c

When we advertise a reduction we can back it up with the correct values. Therefore, when we say Men's \$1.00 Shirts reduced to 50c—we mean they were worth the price.

Every Overcoat and Suit in our store has been reduced to make way for spring goods. These Overcoats and Suits are of the best materials and styles.

Our store is overflowing with good bargains—to fully realize the opportunities to save money on clothing necessitates a visit to our store.

NUSBAUM'S

Outfitters for Men and Young Men.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at the Baker farm, 2½ miles east of town, on

Wednesday February 5

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property:

1 coming 5 year old mare, bred to jack; 1 gray gelding, weight 1250 pounds; 2 mules, coming yearlings.

5 Jersey cows, extra good ones. 9 Shorthorn cows. 1 Shorthorn bull. 2 geldings, coming 3 years old; 1 mare and 1 gelding coming 2 years old; 2 mares, coming 3 years old; 1 mule, coming 2 years old; 1 mule, coming 3 years old; 3 teams of work mules. 8 brood sows.

1,000 bushels of corn in crib, 20 tons of baled hay.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months time with a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on grounds.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

F. F. Wolfert, Clerk.

Geo. B. Baker & Co.

PRESIDENTIAL RECALL BEATEN

Senator Bristow Seeks to Amend
Proposed Six-Year Term Act.

OTHER PROPOSALS PENDING

Wide Variety of Conditions and Exemptions Before Senate—Dixon Questions Motives of Those Who Want Change.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Presidential term ranging all the way from two to six years, prohibitions against second terms and third terms; exemptions that would affect Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson, and proposals for the recall and the direct popular election of presidents, were thrust into the senate in rapid succession in the first day's consideration of the constitutional amendment limiting a president to a single term of six years.

In a session filled with lively debate, Senator Bristow's proposal that a president could be recalled at any regular election was voted down, 58 to 10, and Senator Hoke Smith's amendment to make the single term four years, instead of six, was defeated, 42 to 23.

Over a dozen amendments were pending when the senate recessed.

Senators Dixon and Poindexter (Prog. Rep.) and Lodge (Rep.) led the fight against a restriction of the presidential term.

Senator Williams (Dem.) proposed a four-year term with the privilege of one re-election, but his amendment was so drawn as to prevent Colonel Roosevelt from seeking another election.

Ten for Presidential Recall.

The defeat of the Bristow amendment for recall of the president followed a short debate, in which Senator Bristow urged that to make the federal administration properly responsive to public demand the people should have the right to change the president when they change congress.

The vote on the recall amendment mustered ten votes only in its favor; the following senators voting for it:

Ashurst, Bristow, Clapp, Dixon, Gronna and Poindexter (Prog. Rep.); Martine, Owen, Perky and Thomas (Dem.).

The candidates of Roosevelt, Wilson, Bryan and Taft figured in the fight throughout the day. Senator Borah said President Taft had not used the power of his office for his own re-election in 1912 to any greater extent than President Roosevelt had used it in 1908 for the election of Mr. Taft.

"President Roosevelt wanted Mr. Taft nominated because he believed Taft would carry out the principles to which the Roosevelt administration was devoted," said Senator Borah. "A president who would not use every effort to perpetuate his policies would not be worth his salt."

Answers Senator Hitchcock.

Senator Hitchcock asked if it was not generally believed Roosevelt favored Taft's nomination in 1908 so he himself could be a candidate in 1912.

"I know the senator himself does not entertain such a thought," retorted Senator Borah, "so I feel free to say that such an idea is the product of a discreditable mind."

Senator Dixon's charge that a single six-year term was desired chiefly by ambitious aspirants for the presidency and the declaration of Senators Bristow and Poindexter that this proposed limitation would be destructive of American principles of government made up the burden of the Progressive fight against the resolution.

Senator Bristow declared the people should be free to choose their own president and to re-elect a president when they believed it was wise. He declared the constitution should include a recall provision, so that when congress is overthrown because an administration is not satisfactory the people could also recall the president and establish a new administration throughout.

Fortifications Bill Passed by House.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The fortifications appropriation bill, carrying \$5,218,250, an increase of \$1,182,015 over the appropriation last year, was passed by the house. The bill contains a provision which restricts the secretary of war to purchase nothing but material of American manufacture, except in cases where it is for the interest of the United States to purchase material abroad in limited quantities.

Massacre Prevented by Tin Cans.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The tinkle of tin cans which had been hung or strung to barbed wire entanglements around the night camp of detachments of regular troops in the Philippines recently prevented a massacre of the Americans by the fierce Moros tribesmen and resulted in the complete rout of the natives, according to war department reports.

Stock Exchange Sends Committee.

New York, Jan. 31.—The New York Stock Exchange appointed a committee to visit Albany and confer with Governor Sulzer regarding proposed legislation affecting the exchange. The committee included J. B. McMahon, president of the exchange; three ex-presidents, F. K. Sturgis, Rudolph Kepler and H. R. Tomroy, and six other prominent brokers and bankers.

LORDS REJECT HOME RULE

Peers Go Through Formality of
Voting Against Measure.

WILL BECOME LAW, ANYWAY.

Large Number of Nobles Assemble in
House and Bejeweled Peeresses
Throng the Side Galleries—Lack of
Ferocity Noted.

London, Jan. 31.—After a two-day discussion the house of lords rejected the home rule bill, 326 to 69. The result was a foregone conclusion.

The speeches aroused little interest, because as the Earl of Halshury practically observed, the position of the house was now that of "an ordinary debating club"—the peers could express their views and reject the bill, but they could not prevent it from becoming law. Nevertheless, the largest muster of peers since the fatal evening they passed the parliament bill assembled in the house and bejeweled peeresses thronged the side galleries.

Lord Lansdowne wound up the debate for the opposition. Lord Morley of Blackburn for the government.

The scene was lacking in the dramatic excitement which accompanied the lords' rejection of Mr. Gladstone's bill in 1893 by a far larger majority, 378.

Lack of Ferocity Noted.

Lord Morley, in closing the debate, remarked the absence of the ferocity which characterized the debates on the Gladstonian measures and, replying to Lord Lansdowne's warning that the giving of home rule to Ireland would be a menace to England if England ever were involved in serious international trouble, reminded Lord Lansdowne that his own land policy would give Ireland cash or credit to the extent of \$200,000,000 British money, and that Lord Lansdowne scarcely would be likely to do that if he really believed that Ireland was likely to be come England's enemy.

Lord Curzon of Kedleston, in a speech earlier in the evening, also referred to the listlessness the public had shown over the bill and to the deplorable and unutterable flatness of the debates in the house of commons.

The division was on party lines, practically the whole of the Episcopal bench voting against the bill.

FARMERS' UNION DAY

Grand Wheat Prize at Corn Exposition
Goes to Nebraskan.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 31.—G. M. Demming of Fairmont, Neb., was awarded the grand champion wheat sweepstakes and the national sweepstakes for hard wheat at the National Corn exposition here. The national sweepstakes in soft wheat was won by John E. Potts of Rea, Mo.

Farmers were urged to adopt more scientific methods in marketing their crops by several speakers. It was suggested that they should co-operate in the direction of regulating the supply so as to stimulate the demand.

This was the National Farmers' union day at the exposition and the annual midwinter conference of the organization convened on the grounds. Among the prominent speakers were J. D. Eggleston of Washington of the United States bureau of education and Charles S. Barrett, president of the National Farmers' union.

RAILROAD MEN AT DINNER

Notable Assemblage Entertained by
Pittsburgh Traffic Club.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 31.—With George A. Post of New York, president of the Railway Business association, as toastmaster, the Traffic club of Pittsburgh entertained a notable assemblage of railroad men. The guests who came in private cars, made up into special trains, from New York, Chicago and St. Louis, included some of the leading railroad and industrial executives of the country. The principal addresses were made by Professors Emory R. Johnson of the University of Pennsylvania and Arthur Brisbane, the New York editor.

Mr. Brisbane asked the railroads to lend their assistance in extending the parcel post, arguing that it would increase their revenue and declared that government ownership was coming slowly.

Earth Slides May Delay Canal Opening

Washington, Jan. 31.—Recent slide of earth and rock into the Culebra cut will make necessary great activity if the Panama canal is to be opened before the end of the year, as has been predicted by Colonel Goethals. More than 500,000,000 yards of earth and rock have fallen into the cut this month, and engineers fear that an other impending break at Purple hill will add not less than 1,000,000 yards.

New Indictments Against Mellon.

New York, Jan. 31.—Charles S. Mellon, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway company, E. J. Chamberlain and Alfred W. Smithers, president and chairman, respectively, of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada, were indicted by the federal grand jury for violation of the Sherman antitrust law in alleged monopolistic agreement between the New Haven and Grand Trunk roads.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Wallace farm, 2 miles east and 1 mile south of Maryville, and 1 mile west of Mt. Ayr church, on

Thursday, February 6

The following described property.

7 HEAD HORSES, consisting of 1 bay mare coming 5 years old, weight 1,500 pounds, in foal by draft horse; 1 span 3-year-old fillies, weight about 1,350 pounds each, in foal by jack. These are extra good fillies and broke. 1 bay horse, 4 years old, weight about 1,250 lbs.; 1 sorrel mare, 5 years old, weight about 1,150 lbs.; 1 weanling colt, extra good; 1 smooth mouth mare. These horses are all good ones.

6 HEAD CATTLE—4 milch cows. These are all choice milch cows and will be fresh early. 1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 1 yearling heifer.

28 HEAD HOGS—9 brood sows, 4 to farrow in February and March and rest in April and May. 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar, 18 head fall shoots. These hogs are all healthy and in good condition.

FEED—About 500 bu. corn, 5 or 6 tons hay in barn, about 3 tons oats in stack.

IMPLEMENTES—2 wagons, 1 hay rack, 1 hay rake, 1 John Deere cultivator, 1 John Deere stirring plow, 1 lister and drill combined, 1 wood rack, 1 top buggy, 2 sets work harness, 1 set double buggy harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle, about 100 posts, some stove wood, and also a few loads of pole wood. Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time with bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

V. M. Watt, Auctioneer.

Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Fred Wallace

PUBLIC SALE

In order to dissolve partnership we will sell at the C. C. Carr farm, two and one-half miles northwest of Arkoe and five and one-half miles southeast of Maryville, on

Friday, February 7th, 1913

the following property:

9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 1,400 pounds, bred to jack, the other to draft horse; 2 pair of mules,

STOMACH SOUR! GOT INDIGESTION ALSO?
"Pape's Diapepsin" Makes Upset Stomachs Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of dizziness, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach, headache—this is indigestion.

A full case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only fifty cents and will thoroughly cure your out-of-order stomach, and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from stomach trouble or indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on these fifty-cent cases, then you will understand why dyspeptic trouble of all kinds must go, and why they usually relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or indigestion in five minutes. Diapepsin is harmless and tastes like candy, thought each dose contains power sufficient to digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat; besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for biliousness or constipation.

This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranky about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever try a little for indigestion or gastritis or any other stomach misery.

Get some now this minute, and forever rid yourself of stomach trouble and indigestion.—Advertisement.

John Spurlock of this city was taken to St. Francis hospital Thursday for treatment.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,600. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—35,000. Market 5¢ lower; top, \$7.75. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—7,000. Market 10¢ higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5¢ lower; top, \$7.50.

Sheep—3,000. Market 10¢ higher.

ST. JOSEPP.

Cattle—800. Market strong.

Hogs—6,100. Market weak; top, \$7.50.

Sheep—1,000. Market 10¢ higher.

MANY SIGNED TELEGRAM.

Three Hundred Attended the Various Prayer Meetings Held in Maryville Wednesday Evening.

There was a good attendance at the prayer meetings of the various churches of the city Wednesday evening, and 300 protested against the saloon and sent a telegram to Jefferson City, asking the members of the Missouri legislature to vote for the county local option bill. The telegram sent follows:

"To the members of the Missouri state legislature now in session in Jefferson City:

"Dear Sirs—We, as pastors of our churches, beg leave to inform you that at our prayer meetings this evening 300 persons, mostly heads of families, express their earnest wish for the relief from the saloon promised in the county unit local option bill now before your body. Vote for our homes."

The telegram was signed by the pastors of the churches here.

FINEST HAIR DRESSING FOR WOMEN.

Perfectly Delightful—Full of Refreshing and Invigorating Qualities That Put Life, Lustre and Beauty Into Hair.

Use PARISIAN Sage and your hair won't turn gray; won't look faded or grow thin and scraggly.

Dandruff will disappear, hair stop falling; the scalp will become immaculately white, and all germ life will be promptly destroyed.

At dealers everywhere, 50 cents. Sold by the Kach Pharmacy, who will refund your money if you are not satisfied. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package of PARISIAN Sage.—Advertisement.

Meeting at Guilford. The patrons and teachers meeting of Grant and Washington township will be held at Guilford on Saturday in the M. E. church, South, of that town. Addresses are to be given by County Superintendent Oakerson and Dr. H. K. Taylor, president of the Normal.

Was Five Above. Quite a change was experienced in the weather Thursday night and Friday. For the past several days it has been almost like spring. The mercury stood at 5 above zero Friday morning. Colder weather is promised for Saturday.

Simpson Property Sold. Superintendent W. B. Christy of the Maryville district of the M. E. conference has purchased the residence of S. M. Simpson on North Mulberry. The Simpsons have gone to California to locate.

Has a New Fire Bell. Guilford has installed a new fire bell on a pole north of the Bank of Guilford. The bell is about twelve inches in diameter and can easily be detected from any place in town.

Moving to Conway, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hockett of Quitman, were in Maryville Thursday on their way to Conway, Mo., to make their home.

Mrs. Ray Lincoln of Burlington Junction went to Pickering Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. L. E. Watson.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for \$1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

"RINGLETT" BARRED ROCK
Cockerels for sale. These cockerels hatched from eggs direct from E. B. Thompson. Limited number, only. WILES BROS.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL
White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, \$2 and \$3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys.

MRS. C. H. RICE.

Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

R. C. R. I. REDS at \$1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Pickering, Mo.

Clarinda Poultry House

Anyone having thoroughbred breeding cockerels of any varieties, please bring them to J. A. Speirs at the office of the Clarinda Poultry house in this city, and we will help you sell them.

BUSINESS CARDS

JAMES CONKLIN

THE PLUMBER and STEAM FITTER. Satisfaction guaranteed. Shop under Knox's restaurant. Phone Hanamo No. 33, shop, 47, residence.

Standard Plumbing Co. R. E. MARTIN, Manager. PLUMBING AND HEATING. We Never Sleep.

Hanamo 48, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo.

W. F. BOLIN

Architect and General Contractor. Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

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THE DELUGE EFFECT.

For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Romans 6:23

SCIENTIFIC Bible students find the Bible story of the Deluge corroborated by Geology, Astronomy and History. The oldest records of Babylon tell of the Deluge. But no record compares with the Genesis account or gives a connected history of 1656 years from Adam to the Flood.

Geology demonstrates that there have been several great deluges. When we ask whence such floods could come, Astronomy points us to Saturn and Jupiter with their "rings," composed of minerals thrown off as gas when the planets were at white heat. These gases cooled and formed various rings. The rotation of the planets on their axes causes these rings to spread out as great envelopes, and gradually to thin at the equator and thicken at the poles until they collapse, causing deluges.

The earth once had similar "rings," precipitated one after another, at long intervals during the Six Great Creative Days. God so timed His Plan that the last of earth's rings was still unbroken when man was created. But it had spread into a great canopy or veil. There could be neither rain nor storm under such conditions. (Genesis 2:5) The temperature of the whole earth was equable, the sun's rays acting upon the canopy as upon the white glass of a hot-house.

Why the Polar Ice!

Geology testifies to a Glacial Period, when great icebergs, carried by floods of water, rushed from the poles toward the equator. Scientists have traced great valleys cut by these icebergs during this period.

The collapse of the canopy caused a deluge at both poles, a flow of great tidal waves toward the equator and sudden, intense cold at the poles. The water froze so rapidly that in recent years animals with grass between their teeth have been dug out of solid polar ice.

The vertical rays of the sun kept the equatorial atmosphere very hot until the trade winds sprang up, distributing the heat over the earth. The equatorial waters were also very hot, until the ocean currents set in. These, like the Gulf Stream, carry the warm equatorial waters toward the poles. These processes, going on for 4400 years, are gradually thawing out the polar regions, and causing large numbers of icebergs to break loose from the polar glaciers, and distress mariners.

Mary Lang of Altoona, Pa., writes: "Every since childhood I have been weak and delicate and my blood had been thin and poor. Many different forms of treatment did me no good, but last spring I took Vinol and now I am so much stronger and better that I want you to know it. I don't know when I have felt so well and vigorous as I have since taking Vinol."

If Vinol fails to do just what we say, we will give back your money. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

Sold Out Interest.

Professor George Frederick Wright has dropped a suggestion which fits well with the Biblical narrative that Noah's ark apparently remained near the place where it was built. As we understand the professor, the geological evidences are that swift currents laden with icebergs and rocks visited parts of America, Europe and Asia, but seemingly avoided Mt. Ararat, where evidently an eddy formed, for alluvial deposits there are extraordinarily thick.

The Cause of the Deluge.

Let us inquire. Why did not Divine providence precipitate the last ring before man was created? The answer is that God foreknew the rebellion of Satan and permitted the temptation and fall of man solely because He foresaw how ultimate good could be accomplished and valuable lessons be given both men and angels. All of His dealings are along lines of Justice.

ZEMO is absolutely guaranteed to stop itching; it gives instant relief, pain disappears, sores, rashes and dandruff leave you.

ZEMO is sold in 25-cent and \$1 bottles, or sent direct, on receipt of price, by E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo. Try a 25-cent bottle and when convinced, get a \$1 bottle which contains six times as much as the 25-cent bottle.

Sold and guaranteed in Maryville by the Love & Gaugh drug store.—Advertisement.

USE ZEMO—ITCHING VANISHES!

Use ZEMO, the New Wonder.

At last a remedy for skin tortures that makes everybody smile and say, "Hoo-ray, I've found it at last!" ZEMO is really extraordinary, as any man or woman can prove immediately at a cost of only a few cents. If you have that terrible itching, prickly heat, eczema, irritated or inflamed skin, blisters, pimples or blackheads, you will marvel at the result of ZEMO.

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Returned to Kansas City.

Mrs. F. F. McClure of Kansas City, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Jr., the past ten days, returned home Friday morning.

Wanted, a Good Stomach.

MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets are guaranteed by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. to end indigestion and give you a good vigorous stomach, or money back. They relieve after dinner distress in five minutes. 50 cents.

MI-O-NA for belching of gas.

MI-O-NA for distress after eating.

MI-O-NA for foul breath.

MI-O-NA for loss of appetite.

MI-O-NA for hearthburn.

MI-O-NA for sick headache.

MI-O-NA for night sweats.

MI-O-NA for bad dreams.

MI-O-NA after a banquet.

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Makes rich, pure blood—puts vigor, vim, vitality into the whole body.

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ED MYERS, Administrator.

Agent Koch Pharmacy.

WHY WOMEN SUFFER.

Many Maryville Women Are Learning the Cause.

Women often suffer, not knowing the cause.

Backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness,

Irregular urinary passages, weakness, languor—

Each a torture of itself.

Together hints at weakened kidneys.

Strike at the root—get to the cause.

No other remedy more highly endorsed than Doan's Kidney Pills.

Recommended by thousands—

Endorsed at home.

Here's convincing testimony from a Maryville citizen:

Mrs. Mary Larabee, 1203 East Third street, Maryville, Mo., says: "I had pains through my hips and back and was often dizzy and tired. After I used a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills I found relief and my health improved. This remedy has my highest endorsement."

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To Locate in Guilford.</